

**Gary A. Knopp—House District 30 Representative—Alaska Republican Party
Primary Candidate**

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Age: 61

Place of Birth: Whitefish, Montana

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Occupation: General Contractor

Length of Residency in Alaska: 39 years

Alaskan Communities Lived in:

Anchorage	1979 – 1980
Sterling	1980 - 1995
Kenai	1995 – present

Education:

Flathead High School – Kalispell, Montana
Miscellaneous college courses at Flathead Valley Community College, and Kenai Peninsula College, University of Alaska, Fairbanks

Political and Government Positions:

Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly: District 1 representative Oct 2006 – Oct 2012; Oct 2015 – Jan 2017

Kenai Peninsula Borough Assembly: President Oct 2010 – Oct 2012

Alaska Municipal League: Board of Directors 2010 – 2011; 2015 – 2016

Kenai Peninsula Borough Board of Equalization: Member 2010 – 2016

Alaska State Legislature: House of Representative District 30 Jan 2017 - present

Special Interests: Aviation (pilot & certified flight instructor), Diving, Hunting, Golfing

Position Statement:

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It has been a privilege to represent the residents of District 30 in Juneau these last two years.

Many of the things I set out to accomplish still need to be completed. One must have concurrence from members of the House and Senate as well as the Governor's office to pass legislation and that is why things move rather slowly in Juneau.

I work well with all members of the House and Senate to pass good legislation and stop bad legislation.

I will continue to work towards a sustainable budget, less bureaucracy and more efficiencies in government.

There are numerous challenges facing the State such as

- crime reform
- budgets
- health and social services issues
- fisheries
- our economy
- our local issues right here on the Kenai Peninsula that need to be resolved.

We have started work on these issues and I strive to find compromise to bring forward resolutions to them.

I ask for your support to accomplish these tasks. Thank You.

